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MEMOR ANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT:

Subcommittee on Disarmament of Senate Committee on Foreign Relations

- 1. This memorandum is for information only.
- 2. The Agency has appeared formally three times before Senator Hubert H. Humphrey's Subcommittee on Disarmament. Each time Dr. Scoville appeared, and the dates were 13 March, 20 March, and 19 June 1958. appeared with Dr. Scoville at the session on 20 March 1958. The testimony was primarily in connection with detection of Soviet nuclear explosions. Senator Humphrey and the Subcommittee staff were cooperative on the security aspects.
- 3. No specific arrangements have been made for further appearances, but the Subcommittee staff has asked whether we could help in answering a questionnaire they have prepared and we indicated areas in which we could be of assistance. We informed the staff that we reserved decision as to whether the Agency would actually testify at any hearing.
- 4. The Subcommittee now functions under the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations and is made up of Senators Hubert H. Humphrey (D), Chairman, Russell B. Long (D., La.), John F. Kennedy (D., Mass.), Alexander Wiley (R., Wis.), Bourke B. Hickenlooper (R., Iowa), and William Langer (R., N. Dak.).

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